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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION

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This is in response to a Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification for the above-identified patent application.

In the Brief Description of the Drawings:

In the original specification, please delete the references to Figures 12-57 on page 13, from line 4 through page 14, line 21.



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The drawings filed 2/21/2002 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figure 12 - 57 is listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

Figure _____ is contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

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